

Version of Specification with Markings to Show Changes

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This application is a continuation of PCT International Application No. PCT/US99/22402, filed September 24, 1999, designating the United States of America, which [is claiming] claims the priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/101,693, filed September 25, 1998, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference into the present application. []
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The present application also claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/101,825, filed September 25, 1998, [and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/101,693, filed September 25, 1998,] which [are] is incorporated by reference herein.

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Figures 1a-1, 1a-2 and 1a-3 provide[s] the distribution of alanine in the molecular markers (TV-markers) described in Table 1. The amino acid position is defined by the X-axis. The presence of an alanine is indicated by a vertical bar at the indicated amino acid position.

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Figures 1b-1, 1b-2 and 1b-3 provide[s] the distribution of lysine in the TV-markers described in Table 1. The amino acid position is defined by the X-axis. The presence of a lysine residue is

indicated by a vertical bar at the indicated amino acid position.

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Figures 1c-1, 1c-2 and 1c-3 provide[s] the distribution of glutamic acid in the TV-markers described in Table 1. The amino acid position is defined by the X-axis. The presence of a glutamic acid residue is indicated by a vertical bar at the indicated amino acid position.

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Figures 1d-1, 1d-2 and 1d-3 provide[s] the distribution of tyrosine in the TV-markers described in Table 1. The amino acid position is defined by the X-axis. The presence of a tyrosine residue is indicated by a vertical bar at the indicated amino acid position.

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Figures 1a-1, 1a-2, 1a-3, 1b-1, 1b-2, 1b-3, 1c-1, 1c-2, 1c-3, and 1d-1, 1d-2 and 1d-3 provide the distribution of alanine, lysine, glutamic acid and tyrosine, respectively, in the TV-markers described in Table 2. The amino acid position is defined by the X-axis, with the first amino acid corresponding to the C-terminal position. The presence of an amino acid is indicated by a vertical bar at the indicated amino acid position.